

## IMPRISONMENT

Is the punishment fixed by the government law for failure to register for the selective draft. Remember this, for Uncle Sam will get you if you don't watch out. Tuesday, June 5, is the date to register.

### PROBATE COURT MATTERS.

(Continued from page one)

Earnest Williamson, a minor, made his 10th settlement, showing a balance of \$1,209.

E. E. Richards, as the administrator of the James Brohan estate, closed up the estate by final settlement, showing a balance of \$7,111, and the administrator was discharged.

Geo. W. Cummins, as administrator of the Coleman C. Cunningham estate, filed his final settlement, showing a balance of \$49.00.

John F. Iden, as administrator of the Alf. D. Cunningham estate, made his first settlement, which said he had \$930 in his hands belonging to the estate.

In the partnership estate of McNaul & Smith, the administrator Lee Smith, made his final settlement, showing a balance of \$9,413, which was ordered paid over to the partner, Lee Smith.

Emra Davis, in charge of the Wm. F. Drake estate, made his third settlement; balance, \$1,856.

Clara A. Kneale, as the guardian of Curtis T. and Lester R. Kneale, filed her first settlement; balance, \$13,138.

In the estate of Lizzie M. Roecker, deceased, the executor, Guy L. Cummins and M. A. Roecker, filed their second settlement, showing a balance of \$24,142 in their hands.

W. H. Alkire, as guardian of Oscar and Naomi Payne, minors, on making his second settlement, showed a balance of \$2,258.

The fifth settlement in the estate of Kathleen Morton and other minors, was made by the guardian, Geo. R. Murray; balance to the credit of his wards, \$1,000.

Florence White, the guardian of Ivory White, a minor, made her third settlement; balance in her hands, \$2,158.

In the estate of Mary F. Wilson, deceased, the executor, A. VanHusen, filed his first settlement, showing a balance of \$1,630.

James C. Tracy, in charge of the Christopher C. Titus estate, made his first settlement, showing a balance of \$145.

A balance of \$11,491 was shown to be the balance due the estate of Philip A. Shull estate, as per first settlement filed by the executor, Mrs. Cecilia Shull.

C. L. Evans, executor of the estate of James B. Payne, deceased, made his third settlement; balance, \$11,491.

The third settlement filed by Geo. Lehmer, as guardian of the Field minor, heirs, showed a balance of \$6,152.

In the estate of Matt. B. Thomas, deceased, a balance of \$551 was shown to be due the estate, on the first settlement made by the administrator, Sarah Thomas. An order was made to sell the real estate mentioned in the inventory.

H. B. Lawrence, administrator of the estate of Nan R. Wise, deceased, in his first settlement, showed a balance of \$1,680.

A final settlement was made in the estate of Elizabeth VanDusen, deceased, by the administrator, George Gelvin, showing a balance of \$188.

G. W. Cummins, as trustee for George E. Anderson and others, filed his 18th settlement, showing a balance of \$573.

In the estate of Henry Zachman, deceased, Mae Zachman, administratrix, showed a balance of \$995 on her first settlement. A partial distribution was ordered to Charles, Wesley, Richard, Frank, Martha Mae and Mrs. Lydia Rostock.

In the T. L. Price estate, D. M. and M. R. Martin, administrators, filed their final settlement, showing a balance of \$512. Distribution was ordered to Mrs. T. L. Price and Mrs. Lillian Simpson.

George W. Poynter, in charge of the estate of David W. Smith, deceased, made his third settlement; balance, \$5,170.

W. H. Richards, executor, in charge of the Catharine Hahn estate, made his eighth and final settlement, showing a balance of \$4,031. An order of distribution was made to Sallie B. Ferguson, Lydia B. Hahn, Kate M. Purpus, Blanche and Mary C. Morrison, Bell Meade, Stella Keiffer, Minnie Fields, David and Frank Shaffer, Martha Sipes, Carrie Quick and Ruth Stricklin.

In the Robert Patterson estate, W. H. Richards, as executor, on filing his 11th settlement, showed a balance of \$887.

C. C. Catron, guardian of Catron minor heirs, made his sixth settlement, showing a balance of \$1,754.

Many demands were allowed, and the remainder of the estates on the docket were continued. Court every second Monday—the second Monday of every month.

Judge Dungan rapped his gavel and announced that the court stood adjourned until Monday, June 11.

Mrs. J. D. Rice and daughter, Lucile, of Chillicothe, Mo., are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Hanna, this week.

The little Misses Marian and Elizabeth Benjamin, of St. Joseph, are enjoying a fortnight's visit with their friend, Faye Foster, north of town.

Will Schulte, cashier of the Citizens Bank, attended the State Bankers' Association, in session in St. Joseph, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

We noticed the following from the local district: Mrs. A. A. Schmitt, A. Schmitt, J. A. Schmitt, A. Schmitt.



### News Snapshots Of the Week

While the world waited Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg told the reichstag that the time was not ripe for another move for peace on his part. Diplomacy in Russia was put to a severe test during the past week and resulted in the resignation of Foreign Secretary Milukoff and a coalition cabinet in which the people are more fully represented. The American mission to Russia, headed by Elihu Root, contains, besides others, General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of our army. Following his wonderful reception in New York, Joffre visited West Point, Boston and Canada, where he was given further ovations. With startling suddenness came the death of Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain; the strain placed on him in caring for Foreign Minister Balfour during his visit to New York was too much for him. Signor Ariotta, head of the Italian commissioners who arrived in America unannounced, says Italy needs tonnage most.

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### Kite Flying Contest.

Editors, Sentinel:—I thought that maybe the boys would be interested in the following description of a Kite Flying Contest, as written by my son, Harlan Roberts, from Honolulu, Hawaii. Flying the kite used to be quite a common sport, when some of us were boys, but it seems to have about gone out of date.

Yours truly,

T. D. ROBERTS.

"I went up to Mills School, yesterday afternoon, to their kite flying contest. There were many contests in fact. In the long distance contest they were given several minutes to get their kites up and when the time was called, the strings were cut and then the kites had to be pulled in and each string was stretched around two stakes 100 feet apart and the strings were counted to see which one was out the farthest. Several exceeded the 3000-foot mark. Many of the kites were of beautiful and patriotic designs. Many of them represented butter-fies, birds, moths, ships, flags, etc. Some were very large and some quite small, ranging from ten feet across to half an inch. The one that won the smallest kite contest was so small one could hardly see it. The only rule governing that contest was that the kite must carry 25 feet of string. The string on the winner was very fine silk thread."

### Presbyterian Church Notes.

Memorial Day services at the Methodist church, Sunday morning. Rev. C. F. Hand will deliver the sermon. Preaching by the pastor at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Christian Endeavor at 7. The Ladies' Aid society meets with Mrs. VanBuskirk on Tuesday afternoon.

Prayer meeting this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

We will greatly miss a number of the school teachers from our church and Sunday school. Miss Marshall has been very successful with the young men's class, because of her intelligent interest, has grown to a membership of 13. She will also be greatly missed from the choir.

Rev. J. H. Weaver, of St. Joseph, gave our people two good sermons, last Sunday. He was formerly pastor at Fairfax and later at Hopkins, and is now making his home in St. Joseph.

T. A. CLAGETT,  
Pastor.

### Flowers Wanted For Decoration Day.

On account of the lateness of the season there will be a scarcity of flowers for the decoration of graves of our soldiers on Memorial Day, May 30. Every one is respectfully urged to aid by bringing from their homes as many flowers as possible, and delivering them at the band stand in the court yard not later than 9:30 a. m.

Mrs. Clara Wilson, of the Highland district, and her son, Dale, and daughter, Violet, are visiting relatives at Humboldt, Neb., this week.

### Forest City and Vicinity.

—Clare Watson spent Saturday in St. Joseph.

—Mrs. V. Baker was a St. Joseph visitor, Thursday.

—Miss Grace Efner was shopping in St. Joseph, Tuesday.

—Miss Edna Alkire was shopping in St. Joseph, Monday.

—Oscar Moore and family were St. Joseph visitors, Monday.

—Elijah Alkire and wife were St. Joseph visitors, Thursday.

—Mr. Bessie Combs spent Sunday with Neil Combs and family.

—Austin Lease made a business trip to St. Joseph, Thursday.

—Chas. Brodbeck made a business trip to Kansas City, Monday.

—Father J. J. Caffery is holding services in Tarkio, this week.

—Mrs. Louis Stalcup and children were in St. Joseph, Saturday.

—Henry Hazard and wife were St. Joseph shoppers, Thursday.

—Clarence Baker was a business visitor in St. Joseph, Tuesday.

—Lloyd Flinn made a business trip to St. Joseph, Wednesday.

—Walter Beck was transacting business in St. Joseph, Thursday.

—Mrs. R. W. Fawks and son, Lawrence, were in St. Joseph, Thursday.

—Dr. B. W. Babcock was a business visitor in St. Joseph, Wednesday.

—T. E. Teare and daughter, Wilma, were St. Joseph visitors, Saturday.

—M. M. Snapp, of St. Joseph, was transacting business in our city, Wednesday.

—Harry Frazier and family spent the day, Sunday, with Dave Wallace and wife.

—Miss Kate Brodbeck and sister, Rena, were shopping in St. Joseph, Thursday.

—George V. Hinkle and wife and E. E. Hinkle and wife drove to Maryville, Sunday.

—Miss Ollie Hopper and sister, Miss Mildred, were shopping in St. Joseph, Thursday.

—Mrs. George Cottier and Miss Irene Cook were shopping in St. Joseph, Wednesday.

—Elijah Alkire, wife, Miss Mary and Elijah, Jr., spent the day, Sunday, at Big Lake.

—Mrs. C. L. Richardson is visiting, this week, with her parents, Albert Swope and family.

—Mrs. V. H. Brock attended the high school alumni banquet in Mound City, Friday evening.

—J. Davis and wife, of St. Joseph, visited Sunday at the John Anderson home, north of town.

—John Weightman has improved the looks of his residence by having a new roof put on it.

—Miss Nell Birmingham, of Napier, visited with her brother, J. T. Birmingham, Tuesday.

—Herbert Thayer and wife, of St. Joseph, visited with relatives and friends here, Thursday.

—Mrs. Fannie Cason, of Mound City, visited her aunt and uncle, C. E. Noland, Monday night.

—Mrs. Tina Norris, of Mound City, is spending a few days with G. K. Norris and wife, this week.

—George Cottier and family, of Napier, were visitors with N. H. Cook and family, over Wednesday.

—Little Miss Doris Brock is visiting her grandparents, Rev. J. N. Cole and wife, at Mound City, this week.

—Miss Fay Smith, of near Maitland, visited several days, last week, with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Meyer.

—Sidney Banks, of Preston, Neb., visited several days, last week, with his brother, L. A. Banks and family.

—A. H. Jeffrey and wife and Mrs. A. A. Jeffrey were shopping and taking treatment in St. Joseph, Friday.

—Mrs. Fred Beavers returned last Friday from St. Louis, where she attended the Rebekah State Assembly.

—Mrs. Skeet Elton, of Tarkio, returned home, Monday evening, after visiting her parents, Neil Kunkel and wife.

—Lonnie Evans was taken to the Ensworth hospital, Wednesday, where he will be treated for Bright's disease.

—Thelma Morris, of LaPray, Texas, is visiting here with her grandparents, Thomas Hill, and other relatives.

—John Turney, Jr., and Claude Sanners were in St. Joseph, Thursday, transacting business with the court.

—Clarence Baker will go to Breckenridge, where he will help Cad Baker in the bakery, this spring and summer.

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—Mrs. D. M. Miller has returned home after visiting with J. B. Reeves at Muscotah, Kans., and her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Hoover, at Agency.

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—The Boy Scouts have received their new flag and flag-pole, and will place it on the France hill as soon as possible.

—A. G. Weber returned home Wednesday evening, after visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Harris, at Stewartsville, Mo.

—John France, Sr., is having the dining room papered in the Atlantic Hotel, Ed. Carroll, of Oregon, is doing the work.

—Rev. E. F. Cooley and wife and Mrs. Elijah Alkire and son, Elijah, Jr., motored to St. Joseph, Monday, in Rev. Cooley's car.

—Mrs. Herbert Thayer, of St. Joseph, visited with Mrs. L. P. Watson, and her mother, Mrs. Lida St. Clair, several days, this week.

—Harry Teare and family, Tommy Teare and family and Mrs. Matilda Teare spent the day, Sunday, with Howard Teare and wife, in Oregon.

—Wm. Crawford has received word that his sister, Mrs. Dan Stroup, is very low in the hospital at Spencer, Neb., with blood-poisoning. We hope for her recovery.

—Wm. Richardson and family and Miss Edna Alkire motored to Atchison, Kansas, Sunday, and spent the day with Mrs. Richardson's sister, Mrs. Dave Beatty.

—Raymond Shumate was taken to St. Joseph, Monday, and operated on for throat trouble, by Dr. W. C. Proud. He is getting along nicely, we are glad to hear.

—Mrs. Lucy Hinkle, of Fortescue; Misses Muri Baker and Lois Landers and Frank Kunkel and wife and Jim Hinkle spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Anna Efner.

—J. T. Scott and wife and Mrs. L. J. Scott motored to St. Joseph, and spent the day with Neville Dickson and family, last Friday.

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—Mrs. Wm. Crawford and daughter, Miss Ruth Headley, visited last week with Mrs. Crawford's sister, Mrs. Lulu Vosburg, who is some better, after being very low with pneumonia. Mrs. Crawford returned home Saturday, but Miss Ruth will remain until later.

### DELPHUS.

L. L. C. C.

The L. L. C. C. club met last Thursday afternoon at the pretty country home of Mrs. Ralph Meyer. Mrs. J. M. Shumate was the leader, and the club began the study of "McBeth."

The pins were received. They are a small gold book with "L. L. C. C. 1916" engraved on them. After the study of the lesson, a social hour was enjoyed during which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Misses Fay Smith, of Maitland and Gladys Hoover. The "club colors," green and gold, were used in the refreshments, which were shaped "L. L. C. C."

The club meets May 31 with Mrs. J. H. Keeves, at Oregon, with Mrs. C. L. Richardson, leader.

Those present were: Mesdames R. H. Sheffield, J. M. Shumate, J. H. Keeves, W. H. Alkire, C. C. France, C. L. Richardson and the hostess.

### Sued For \$30,000.

The damage suit of Mrs. E. D. May against the C. B. & Q. railroad asking for \$30,000 damages, was called in Judge Allen's division of the St. Joseph circuit court, Monday of this week.

Mrs. May lives near Fortescue, and had been in Forest City, and in her attempt to board a train at Forest City, June 3, 1916, on her return trip, she alleges the train started up while she was trying to get on, and she was thrown to the platform, and but for the timely help of bystanders, she was saved from being thrown under the train. As a result of the accident, she alleges her left limb has become paralyzed, and the sight of one of her eyes greatly impaired, and she was otherwise injured.

### No Hunting.

Parties are warned against hunting on any portion of my lands, and parties trespassing will be prosecuted under the law, and treated as trespassers.

B. H. DAWSON.

### Memorial Sermon.

Meyer Post, G. A. R., will attend divine service at the M. E. church, Memorial Sunday, Sunday next, May 27, 1917, when the Rev. C. F. Hand will deliver the annual sermon.

Large assortment of Paint Brushes, Brushes, etc., at HENNINGER DRUG CO.

### Highland News.

—Charlie Harper visited in Oregon, both Saturday and Sunday evening.

—Mrs. L. S. Mark, of St. Joseph, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Noble.

—Mrs. Ben Sisk visited with her sister, Mrs. Henry Noble and family, Saturday.

—L. E. Cunningham had a streak of bad luck, losing three of his fine Holstein cows.

—Herman and Susie Enshner visited with Julia and Nellie Cunningham, Sunday evening.

—Miss Stella Cordrey visited with her brother, Allen Cordrey and wife, of Oregon, Monday and Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and Minnie visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Henry Noble and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benton, Mrs. E. C. Benton and Bryan visited at the home of James Riley and wife, in Oregon, Sunday.

—The young people's class of the Highland Sunday school will give an ice cream social at the Highland school house, Saturday evening, May 26.

—Miss Grace Cordrey was in Oregon, last week, attending the commencement exercises of the high school, also the play given by the colored students.

—L. E. Cunningham and H. S. Hanna have just finished the second spraying of their orchards. Here's hoping this will insure them a bumper crop of fine apples.

—Mrs. James Riley and Mrs. Ward Walker, Miss Velyna Markt, Miss Agnes Schulte and Galena Riley visited with Mrs. B. E. Benton and family, Friday of last week.

—The Forbes Township Sunday school convention met at the Highland church, last Sunday. There was a goodly number present, notwithstanding the threatening weather. Mrs. McNaul's talk on "Organization in the Sunday School" was very interesting and instructive to all Sunday school workers, and we are sure that all who heard her felt inspired to do more and better work in the coming year. At the conclusion of her talk, the convention proceeded to election of officers for the coming year. L. E. Cunningham, of Highland, was re-elected president; David Allen, Monarch, vice-president; Miss Nellie Frazer, Forbes, secretary; Mrs. H. S. Hanna, superintendent of Elementary Work, and Mr. George Sablin, superintendent of Home Department. The convention will meet in Forbes next year.

BETTY BLUE.

### New Point and Vicinity.

—Frank Cain spent Sunday with Robert and Dewey Lent.

—Miss Katie Kramer visited at home, Sunday.

—Homer Edwards and family spent Sunday at the Big Lake.

—Chas. Fields went to Horton, Kansas, last week, on business.

—Mr. J. P. Ruhl made a business trip to St. Joseph, last Thursday.

—Glenn Carmichael has returned to his work at the Farmers' Cash Store.

—Mr. and Mrs. V. Luther and family spent Sunday with friends at Forest City.

—Mrs. Chas. Fields went to St. Joseph, last Wednesday, to spend a few days with her sister.

—Several from this vicinity attended the commencement exercises in Oregon, Friday evening.

—Mrs. Harry Chapman visited in Savannah a few days, last week, returning home Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crouse and son spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Mound City.

—Mr. Clyde Kuhn and Miss Maude Hardman spent Sunday with Mrs. Bob Kaufman, near Maitland.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hamm and family visited Mrs. Hamm's mother, Mrs. Hardin, at Nodaway, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Carmichael and son, Virgil, of Mound City, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Agler, now.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Hardin and son, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Boswell and daughter spent Sunday at Skidmore, the guests of O. D. Hardman and family.

—One day, last week, Everett Agler lost his check book, west of town. It was for the Bank of Mound City. Finder please return to Farmers' Cash Store.

—Clarence Cain and grandmother spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Agler. Mrs. Cain attended both the morning and evening services at the Christian church. Mrs. Cain is 93 years of age.

BASCOMB.

### Burr Oak.

—Sophia Blachly was in Mound City, Saturday.

—George Cotten and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Hopper and family.

—The Live Wire's Sunday school class met with the Sinclair girls, last Thursday afternoon.

—Several new faces were seen in Sunday school, last Sunday. There were 45 present and 87 cents collection.

—Bernice, Irene and Marguerite Hopper spent last week in Iowa, visiting their grandparents and other relatives.

—Miller Blachly and family, Lee Hopper and wife and H. A. Bowles and daughter, Fern, spent Sunday at the T. S. Blachly home.

—The farmers are about to get their corn planting finished. Everybody was glad to see the rain, as the ground was getting quite dry.

—Mrs. Wm. McCollum and sons left Friday for Kansas City and other points in Missouri, where they will visit before returning to their home in Arcadia, Florida.

—The people here had the opportunity to hear two excellent speeches at Burr Oak school house, last Friday night, by Rev. Dawson and Judge O'Fallon. The man who was to have been present to help organize the Farmer's organization could not be there, so the organization will be formed next Saturday night, May 26.

—Any one needing a farm hand, inquire of Emil Martin.